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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$711.
 - \$711 for 79 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1131.

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STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OF In re Patent Application of Attention: Box Missing Parts 2333-72 FORSELL, Peter. Atty. Dkt. SEP 1 3 2001 Serial No. 09/893,510 June 29, 2001 September 13, 2001 Date: Filed: For: INTESTINE DYSF EATMENT APPARATUS **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231 The attached <u>completes</u> filing of the above-identified patent application: Signed Rule 63 Declaration alone OR Signed Declaration plus attached copy of originally filed specification/drawings. NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION FILING DATE GRANTED form. Record and return the attached assignment. Priority is hereby claimed per Rule 55 & 35 USC119 based on prior foreign application(s) Nos.: Application Nos. Country **Filing Date** 0102313-4 Sweden 28 June 2001 This application is based on the following prior provisional application(s): Application No. Filing Date respectively and priority is hereby claimed therefrom. Certified copy(ies) of foreign and/or provisional application(s): attached; already filed on _____. in U.S. Application Serial No. _____, filed on _ The undersigned verifies that the above-identified application is identical to filed, as amended on Verified Statement attached establishing "small entity" status (Rules 9 & 27)

Also attached: Second Preliminary Amendment								
Fees are attached as calculated below:								
Basic filing fee							\$	710.00
Total Effective claims	99	- 20 =		x \$	18.00	•	\$	1,422.00
Independent claims	1	-3 =	1	x \$	78.00		\$	00.00
If any proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$260.00 (ignore improper)							\$	0.00
						FILING FEE	\$	
Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper								
and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$380.00/2 months; \$870.00/3 months; \$1360.00/4 months)							\$	0.00
Surcharge (\$130.00) if Declaration or filing fee first now submitted							\$	130.00
						FIRST SUBTOTAL	\$	2,262.00
If "small entity," enter half (½) of subtotal and subtract							-\$	1,131.00
						SECOND SUBTOTAL	\$	1,131.00
Assignment Recording Fee (\$40.00)							\$	
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Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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